Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 31 Mar 2024 until 23:59 on Monday 01 Apr 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 30 Mar 2024 at 15:30 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for settled and mainly dry conditions from Saturday until Tuesday becoming low Wednesday as rain preceded by snow spreads north into southern Scotland.

Headline for Sunday 31 Mar 2024: Dry and sunny with a moderate to fresh easterly summit wind.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 31 Mar 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	10%	10%	00%

Forecast for Sunday 31 Mar 2024

Weather: The day will stay dry with long sunny periods. Cloud will increase through that afternoon but conditions remain dry.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: The visibility will be very good with patchy cloud 900-1100m increasing through the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	17/21 S	15/19 S	15/18 SE	17/23 SE	16/23 SE	14/20 SE	14/20 SE	19/25 E	20/26 E
900	13/17 S	11/14 S	10/13 SE	9/13 SE	13/18 SE	13/19 SE	13/19 SE	15/19 SE	16/20 E
600	5/7 S	5/7 SE	3/5 E	4/6 E	6/11 E	10/17 SE	8/15 SE	7/12 SE	6/9 NE
300	2/4 SW	2/4 W	2/3 W	1/4 W	4/9 E	6/12 E	5/11 E	4/8 E	3/6 E
Glen	2/8 S	2/6 S	2/4 S	2/4 E	3/8 E	4/10 E	4/10 NE	3/7 NE	3/7 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-2/-9	-2/-8	-2/-8	-0/-6	0/-5	1/-4	-0/-6	-2/-9	-3/-10
900	2/-2	2/-2	2/-2	3/-0	5/1	6/2	4/0	2/-3	1/-4
600	3/1	3/0	3/2	5/3	7/6	8/5	7/4	4/1	2/0
300	1/-1	0/-2	-0/-2	6/5	11/10	12/10	9/8	5/3	3/1
Glen	1/-0	-0/-2	-1/-3	6/5	12/12	12/12	9/8	5/3	3/1
Freezing Level*	1000m	1000m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1100m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Monday 01 Apr 2024
Weather: Another dry day with sunny periods.

Maximum wind: Northeast 20-25mph gust 40mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: The visibility will be very good with patchy cloud 700-900m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 1 Celsius rising to plus 10 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 1 Celsius.
Freezing level: 900m.

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